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030-31616

VOID SHEET

TO: License Fee Management Branch
FROM: Region III
SUBJECT: VOIDED APPLICATION

Control Number: 321629
Applicant: Therco Automated Systems, Inc.
Date Voided: 5-13-94

Reason for Void: Change of ownership
that does not require an amendment.
Voided before review.

Loren J. Hunter 5-13-94
Signature Date

Attachment:
Official Record Copy of
Voided Action

FOR LFMB USE ONLY

Final Review of VOID Completed:

- Refund Authorized and processed
- No Refund Due
- Fee Exempt or Fee not Required

Comments: _____

Log completed
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Thorn Automated Systems, Inc.
ATTN: H. T. Swanson III
Vice President of
Administration
835 Sharon Drive
Westlake, OH 44145

License No. 34-23772-01
Docket No. 030-31617

Dear Mr. Swanson:

This refers to your letter (with enclosure) dated April 25, 1994, regarding the proposed transfer of ownership of Thorn Automated Systems, Inc. (Materials License No. 34-23772-01) to Mattingly One Limited. Based upon the information you have submitted to us in the above mentioned letter, the NRC has no objection to the proposed transaction.

The transaction as described does not require an amendment to the existing license. However, please notify us in writing promptly upon completion of this transaction.

If you have any questions or require clarification on any of the information stated above, you may contact us at (708) 829-9829.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
Loren J. Hueter
Nuclear Materials Licensing Section

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April 25, 1994

Carl J. Paperiello
Director, Division of Industrial and
Medical Nuclear Safety
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

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REGION III

Subject: THORN Automated Systems, Inc.
Docket Nos. 030-31616, 030-31617
Request for NRC Consent to the Indirect Transfer of Control of THORN
Automated Systems, Inc.'s Interest in materials License Nos. 34-23772-02E and
34-23772-01

Dear Mr. Paperiello:

THORN Automated Systems, Inc. ("TASI") hereby requests that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC"), pursuant to 10 CFR, Sec. 30.34 (b), consent to the indirect transfer of control of TASI's interest in Materials License Nos. 34-23772-02E and 34-23772-01 that will occur as the result of the purchase of TASI's parent company, KAS Holdings, Inc. by Mattingly One Limited, either directly or through intermediate holding companies.

TASI, a Delaware Company, is a manufacturer and distributor of smoke detection devices containing Americium-241. Pursuant to Materials License Nos. 34-23772-02E and 34-23772-01, TASI is authorized to possess and distribute Americium-241 in the form of foil sources (Amersham Int., Inc. Model No. AMK 1001H).

The following information, regarding the proposed purchase of KAS Holdings, Inc., relates to the NRC Information Notice No. 89-25:

- a. There will be no change in the name of the licenses organization.
- b. There will be no change in the personnel named in the license.
- c. The current licensee will continue to manufacture and distribute smoke detection devices.
- d. See Attachment I.
- e. There are no plans to change the organization, location, facilities, equipment,

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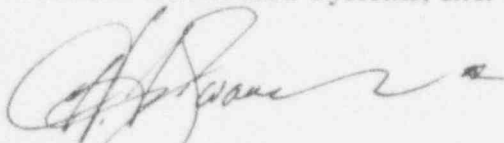
procedures, or personnel.

- f. There are no plans to change the use, possession, or storage of the licensed materials.
- g. All required records such as calibrations, leak tests, surveys, radioactive material inventories and personal exposure records are current and will be kept current up to, at, and after the transaction.
- h. There are no plans for any changes in the status of TASI's Westlake, Ohio facility. There is no contamination present at the TASI Westlake, Ohio facility.
- i. TASI will retain control of the assets involved in the production of the smoke detection devices.
- j. TASI will retain control of the materials licenses.
- k. TASI will continue to abide by all constraints, conditions, requirements, representations, and commitments to assure compliance with the license and regulations.

Please contact the undersigned if further information is required. The sale of KAS Holdings, Inc. is scheduled to close on April 29, 1994. I would appreciate receiving a response from your office prior to that date. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

THORN Automated Systems, Inc.



H. T. Swanson III
Vice President of Administration

Enclosure: Attachment I

CC: John B. Martin, Administrator
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region 3
801 Warrenville Road
Lisle, Illinois 60532

ATTACHMENT I

Description of Transaction

THORN Automated Systems, Inc. ("TASI"), a Delaware Company, is presently owned by KAS Holdings, Inc. ("KAS"), a Delaware Company. KAS owns 100 percent of the common stock of TASI. THORN EMI North American Inc. ("TENA"), a [Delaware] Company currently owns 100 percent of the common stock of KAS. Mattingly One Limited ("Mattingly"), a British Company, will acquire control of TASI as an ongoing entity (the "Transaction"). To effectuate the Transaction, Mattingly will either (i) acquire from TENA 100 percent of the common stock of KAS or (ii) acquire from KAS 100 percent of the common stock of TASI.

TASI will retain its name and personnel and will continue to operate in Westlake, Ohio. TASI will remain the license holder of its two Materials Licenses issued by the NRC.

The Transaction, which also contemplates the acquisition of several overseas companies, is scheduled to be completed in 2 - 3 weeks.

DATE: 4/29

CORRESPONDENCE CLARIFICATION SHEET

REVIEWER:

John Maduca

LICENSEE:

Shorn Automated Systems

LICENSE NUMBER:

34-23772-01

MAIL CONTROL NUMBER:

The following correspondence has been received from the above licensee and it is not clear what action(s) is(are) required: Please review this correspondence and indicate which of the following applies, and please return to Pat DeLoeff, as soon as possible.

Additional Information to Control No. _____
Process in as a new action, additional information, and no fee required.

Process as new licensing action. Review has already been started on Control No. _____ and this information cannot be combined with current in-house action.

Can be combined with Control No. _____. Review has not been started.

Appears to be a(n) _____

Other: I've attached Inf Notice 89-25 FYI.

Thanks For Your Help!!!

Pat